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TEXAS BATTLE WILL NOT BRING BREAK

Three U. S. Soldiers and Little Boy Slain in Sensational Battle With Mexican Bandits—Troops on Chase —Obregon and Scott to Get Together.

Alpine, Tex., May 8.—American troops today rushed through deso-late stretches of Big Bend country in pursuit of Mexican bandits who killed 3 American soldiers and 10-year-old boy and captured 2 American citizens after 5-hour battle against little detachment at Glenn Springs, Aex. Big Bend country was in white heat of rage today and throughout district cattlemen and other residents weer railying to cry for vengeance.

Entire battalion ordered out by Gen. Funston, following delayed reports of brave fight of American troops, converging on Marathon, Tex., by rallroad will detrain immediately and sweep southward over desert toward border.

Raid broke at 10 o'clock Friday night when a force estimated at from 150 to 300 Mexicans crept up on little wax settlement. They avoided border patrol by wide detour, forded Rio Grande and crossed intervening sandy stretch at night. There were 9 men of 14th cavalry stationed at Glenn Springs to protect settlement from attack. Others in village were C. D. Wood and W. K. Ellis, owners of wax factory, with their families; J. Deemer, owner of general store, and F. Compton, employed as Deemer's clerk. A few Mexican families composed remainder of village. The nearest city lay 85 miles away and village was far removed from railroad communication.

Retreating to adobe but after firing